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(Our Case No. 13347US02)

The Application Of:

Gould et al.

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For: RATIOING ALGORITHM FOR A
LABEL PRINTING SYSTEM
USING PLATES

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND
TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON PROVISIONAL
APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Notice To File Missing Parts dated November 28, 2001 to extend the time for response from January 28, 2002 to February 28, 2002. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for the extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: January 28, 2002

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